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STIPULATION

Since this Court's Status (Pre-Trial Scheduling) Order of October 8, 2020, the parties have exchanged written discovery. Although this is a motor vehicle accident case, the injuries are complex and treatment is ongoing. Many medical disciplines are involved. In this regard, the medical records are voluminous and current treatment records are still needed for review by qualified professionals before conducting independent medical examinations and preparing expert witness reports required for disclosure.

The parties have encountered additional unforeseen issues in the discovery process, and further issues associated with Covid 19, have resulted in delays in the subpoena process to obtain relevant medical records and documentation needed for expert review. This has prevented the Parties from obtaining all the pertinent records such that additional time is needed to secure the medical and educational records, perform medical examinations, and to complete expert reports.

The Parties request an additional 60 day continuance of all non-expert and expert discovery deadlines in order to complete additional discovery, obtain the necessary medical, education, and treatment records, and to explore the possibility of settling and/or mediating Plaintiffs' claims. The continuance will not affect the dispositive motion date or impact the trial date. The parties have obtained one prior order from this Court extending the non-expert discovery deadlines, and one prior order extending the expert discovery deadlines.

Accordingly, the parties request to modify the Scheduling Conference Order as follows:

- (1) Expert Disclosure due by <u>July 30, 2021</u>
- (2) Rebuttal Expert Disclosure due by August 13, 2021;
- (3) Discovery Cutoff Date: October 15, 2021;
- (4) Dispositive Motion Filing Deadline: November 26, 2021
- (5) Dispositive Motion Hearing: January 11, 2022, at 1:30 p.m.;

1	(6) Joint Mid-Litigation Statement Filing Deadline: Fourteen (14) days prior	
2	to the close of discovery;	
3	(7) Final Pretrial Conference: March 4, 2022 at 11:00 a.m.;	
4	(8) Jury/Bench Trial: <u>April 11, 2022 at 9:00 a.m.</u>	
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9	By: /s/ Richard H. Schoenberger	
10	DATED: May 27, 2021 (as authorized on May 27, 2021)	
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17	DATED: May 27, 2021 By: /s/ Natalie P. Vance	
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1 **ORDER** 2 Accordingly, for good cause and pursuant to the above Stipulation of the 3 Parties, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Scheduling Conference Order is modified as follows: 4 5 (9)Expert Disclosure due by July 30, 2021 6 (10)Rebuttal Expert Disclosure due by August 13, 2021; 7 (11)Discovery Cutoff Date: October 15, 2021; 8 Dispositive Motion Filing Deadline: November 26, 2021 (12)9 Dispositive Motion Hearing: January 11, 2022, at 1:30 p.m.; (13)10 (14)Joint Mid-Litigation Statement Filing Deadline: Fourteen (14) days 11 prior to the close of discovery; 12 Final Pretrial Conference: March 4, 2022 at 11:00 a.m.; (15)13 (16)Jury/Bench Trial: April 11, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. 14 15 IT IS SO ORDERED. 16 17 18 DATED: May 27, 2021 /s/ John A. Mendez THE HONORABLE JOHN A. MENDEZ 19 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT JUDGE 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28